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7 NAVJEET SINGH BANGA,
8 Plaintiff,
9 v.
10 CHRIS GUS KANIOS, et al.,
11 Defendants.

12 Case No. [16-cv-04270-RS](#)
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**ORDER DENYING CROSS-MOTIONS
FOR SANCTIONS, GRANTING
ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION TO
SEAL PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR
SANCTIONS**

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16 **CROSS-MOTIONS FOR SANCTIONS**

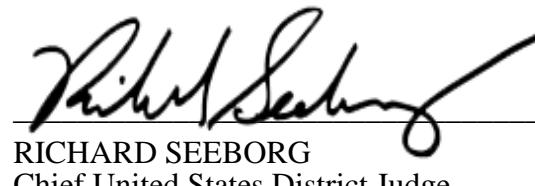
17 Plaintiff and Defendants have filed dueling motions for terminating sanctions, accusing
18 one another of failing to comply with court rules and other bad acts. Neither side is without blame
19 in a case that has lasted the better part of a decade. That said, sanctions are inappropriate here, and
20 both motions are denied.

21 **ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION TO FILE UNDER SEAL**

22 Defendants move to seal Plaintiff's motion for sanctions on the grounds it is replete with
23 confidential settlement negotiations. Defendants' motion is granted, and Plaintiff is reminded not
24 to file documents containing confidential material on the public docket. Instead, Plaintiff should
25 follow the procedures for filing documents (or portions of documents) under seal according to the
26 Northern District's Civil Local Rules. *See* Civil L. R. 7-11, 79-5.
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Dated: February 15, 2024



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Chief United States District Judge

United States District Court
Northern District of California

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